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TAGS: ETRD, RP

SUBJECT: US-PHILIPPINE BILATERAL ECONOMIC NEGOTIATIONS

REF: MANILA 9758

1. TO TEST PRIOR IMPRESSION, I ASKED SECRETARY OF FINANCE CESAR VIRATA JULY 8 TO ADVISE ME WHERE WE STAND REGARDING PROSPECTIVE US-PHILIPPINE ECONOMIC NEGOTIATIONS. VIRATA RESPONDED THAT HE IS AWAITING US RESPONSE TO POSITION HE SET FORTH DURING OUR JUNE 20 REFTEL CONVERSATION THAT GOP IS INTERESTED BUT WISHES FIRST TO ASCERTAIN IF US POSITION SUFFICIENTLY FLEXIBLE TO WARRANT NEGOTIATIONS. VIRATA MAINTAINED THAT GOP SUBSTANTIVE POSITION IS REASONABLE. HE AGAIN SUGGESTED THAT WE TOGETHER INFORMALLY EXPLORE THE PROSPECTS FOR AGREEMENT BEFORE COMMITTING OURSELVES TO FORMAL NEGOTIATIONS.

2. PLEASE ADVISE.

3. ALSO, PLEASE NOTE EA ONLY CAPTION.

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